## State of California – The Resources Agency DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research 1400 Tenth Street Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation 1416 Ninth Street P.O. Box 942896 Sacramento, CA 94296-0001

PROJECT TITLE: Silva Residence Leach Field

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** Install new leach field for the Silva Residence Septic System at Tolowa Dunes State Park to replace the existing failed leach field. Work will excavate 2 trenches: 36 inches wide x 48 inches deep x 50 feet long, and 9 feet apart plus 10 feet of trench from the septic tank to the start of the leach fields. Additional work will install two groundwater monitoring wells of 2 inch PVC pipe with perforations and packed with pea gravel at a depth of 10 feet at either end of the leach field and conduct a soil profile.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: North Coast Redwoods District

## **EXEMPT STATUS:**

☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
☐ Statutory Exemption (Section )
☐ Categorical Exemption

Class: 3, 4, 6

Section: 15303, 15304, 15306

## REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

Project consists of:

- Construction of limited numbers of new small facilities or structures.
- Minor alterations in the conditions of land, water, and vegetation that do not involve the removal of healthy, scenic, mature trees except for forestry purposes
- Basic data collection and resource evaluation activities that will not result in a serious major disturbance to an environmental resource.

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